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Int. Filing Date: 17<sup>th</sup> Sept 1998

Dear Sir,

Further to my letter of 17<sup>th</sup> April, my Australian patent attorney has not yet organized an American patent attorney, so I am sending you these papers myself because of the lack of time. I have paid the \$55 application fee to the San Francisco branch of the Reserve Bank, account no. ABA 0210030004.

I hope everything is now in order and that my patent attorney will soon supply you with the information you required.

Yours faithfully,

*J. P. Gahan*

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Application Number **09/600,320**  
 Filing Date **17th SEPTEMBER 1998**  
 First Named Inventor **JOHN PETER GAHAN**  
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103	12	303	0	Claims in excess of 20		
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3		
104	270	204	130	Multiple dependent claims, if not paid		
109	60	209	40	Reissue independent claims over original patent		
110	16	210	8	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent		
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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or cash	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
129	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
142	920	212	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840	113	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	630	217	315	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,350	218	675	Extension for reply within fourth month	
125	1,560	225	780	Extension for reply within fifth month	
126	310	226	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	210	230	105	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	870	231	435	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	55
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or fee)	
143	400	243	200	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	170	272	130	Referral to the Commissioner	
123	60	273	30	Prosecution history 37 CFR 1.174(d)	
128	180	128	180	Submission of information Disclosure Sheet	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
148	710	248	355	Filing a submission after final rejection 37 CFR § 1.20(a)	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(d))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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